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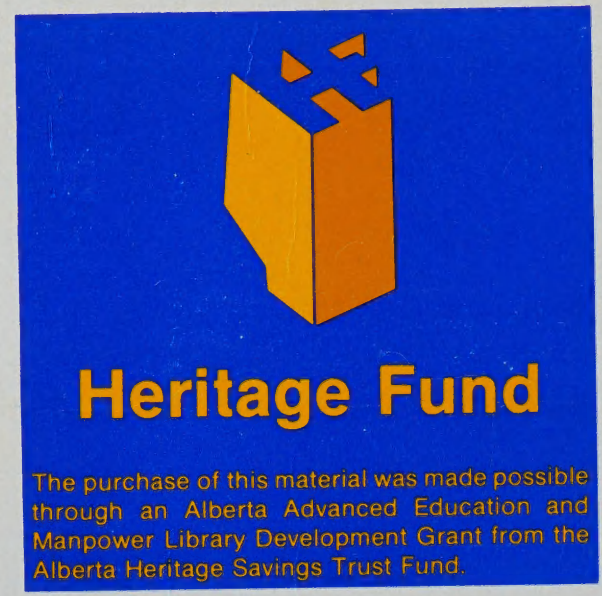
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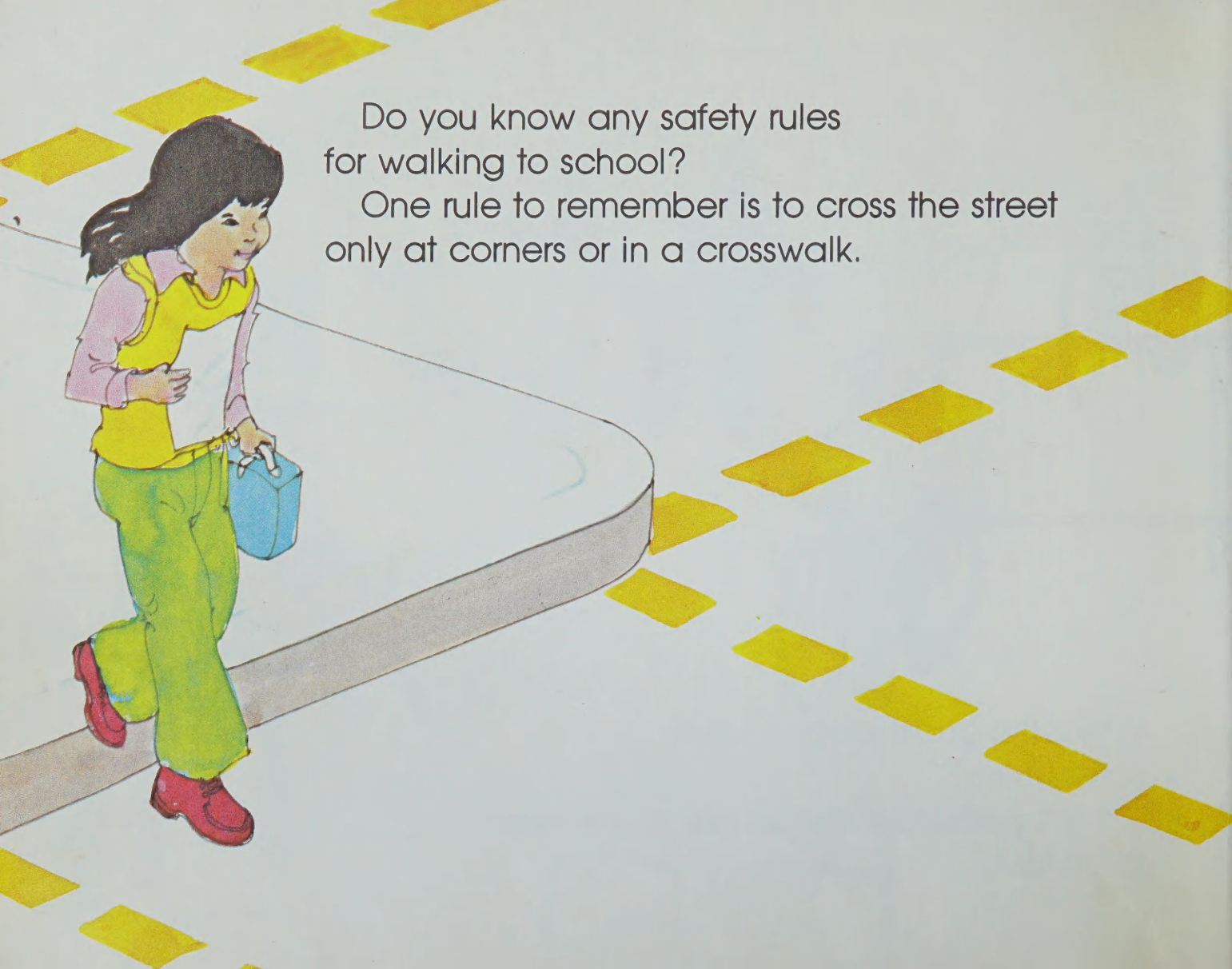
Why is it a good idea to have safety rules?

It is a good idea because no one likes to be hurt.



Do you know any safety rules for walking to school?

One rule to remember is to cross the street only at corners or in a crosswalk.

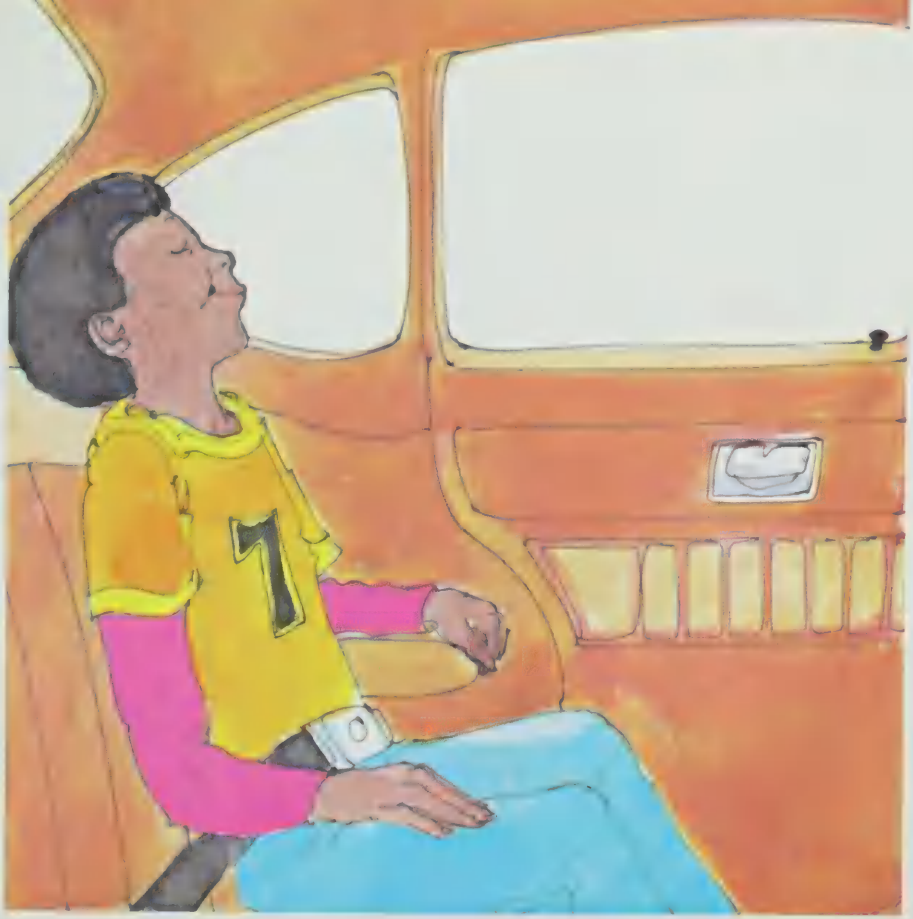
And where is the safest place to walk —
in the street or on the sidewalk?

Do you know any safety rules for riding to school?

One good rule is to always look when you get on or off the bus.

And while you're on the bus, sitting is much safer than standing up.

If you ride to school in a car,
do you remember to fasten your seat belt?
You should.



And do you always remember that it isn't safe to play with the door handle?

Whether you walk or ride, it is always safer to go straight to school without stopping along the way.

When you get to school, are there any special rules to help you and your friends have a good, safe day?

What are some of them?

Some school rules are for the classroom.

Others are for the hall. What are some of those?

Some safety rules are for the lunchroom.
And others are for the playground.
What are some of them?

What are some safety rules
for all the time?

What about never playing with fire
or things that make fire, like matches?

Do you think it is safe to run with something sharp, like a pencil or a stick, in your hand?

No, it isn't.

You know lots of safety rules.

Remember them all, because being safe makes everything more fun — at home, at school, and everywhere.

It's never fun to be hurt.

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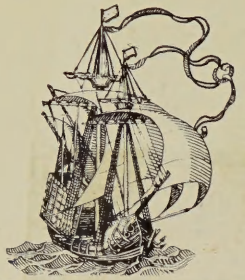

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